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Applicant: KOHARA et al. Examiner: ALANKO, ANITA KAREN  
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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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Dear Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, it is respectfully requested that this application be accorded the benefits of Continued Examination. Applicant respectfully requests that the Preliminary amendment submitted herewith, be entered at this time.

Our check in the amount of \$770, to cover the required fee for a large entity was previously submitted on October 20, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,

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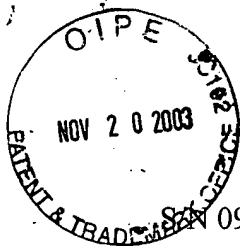
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of this application pursuant to the request for continued examination, please amend this application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.